SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 721

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Quinton Cannon Jones upon his top ten ranking in the 2014 graduating class at Lewis County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Quinton Cannon Jones is one such exceptional student who is in the top ten of the 2014 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Jones achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Quinton maintained an exemplary grade point average, the eighth-highest ranking in his class; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Jones participated in numerous scholastic and extracurricular activities, including Beta Club and the Marching Band, where he served as field commander; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Quinton received the Algebra II

Award, Bandsman of the Year Award, and the Marching Band Leadership Award; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Jones's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as a student at Bethel University, where he plans to pursue a degree in music; and

WHEREAS, Quinton's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Marris T. Jones and Margie Adams, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, his dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2014 Lewis County High School top ten student, Quinton Cannon Jones, on his impressive academic achievement, applauding his eighth-place ranking and extending to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.